



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: WALLIMANN et al.

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Application No.: 09/769,404

Group Art Unit: 1617

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For: METHODS OF TREATING BONE
OR CARTILAGE CONDITIONS BY
THE ADMINISTRATION OF
CREATINE

Attorney Docket No.: 8932-296

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the final Office Action dated March 25, 2003, be extended for a period of 1 month, from June 25, 2003 to July 25, 2003.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$110.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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